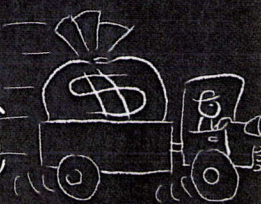


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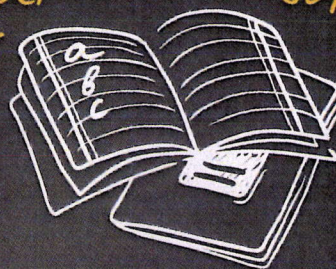
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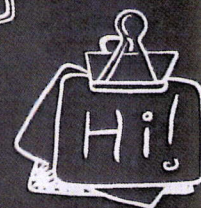
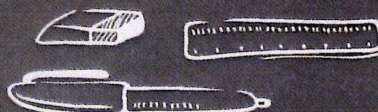
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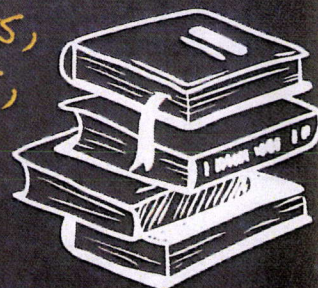
Custodial equipment and supplies



Furniture - Office, lab, classroom, cafeteria



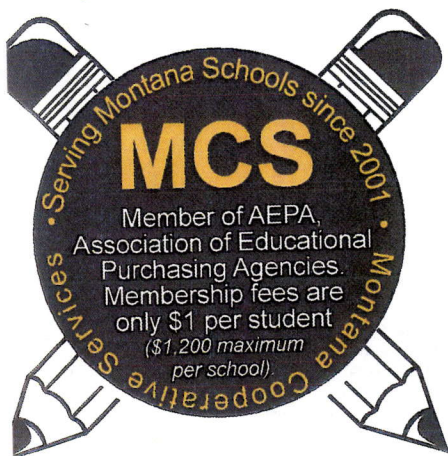
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More ways to save! See back

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Products and Services:

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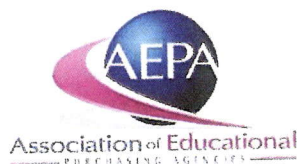
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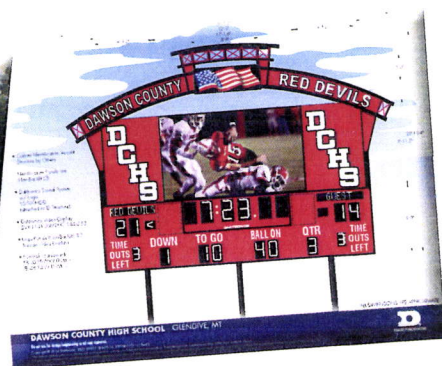
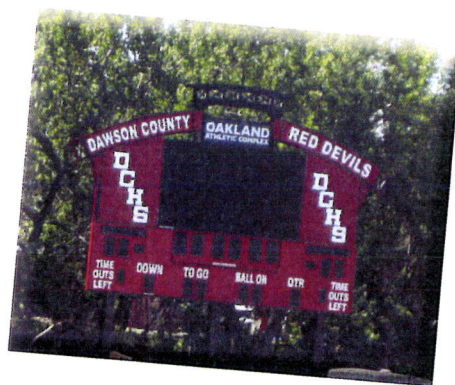
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Purchase directly from the companies and
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Quality Products and Services: View and download the complete list at mt-coop.com

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Benefits of the MCS Purchasing Program:

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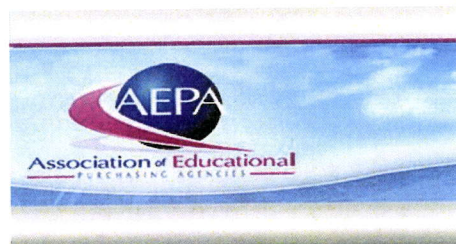
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Mission Statement

To save members **time and resources** by exploring and solving present and future purchasing needs, creating partnerships, and obtaining the very best pricing available through a **national competitive bid process** in order to provide excellent quality and service to all of our members in a **measurable and cost-efficient manner**.

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